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Tomorrow's Tides

High	1:35 a.m.	22.7 ft.
	14:42 p.m.	19.2 ft.
Low	8:27 a.m.	0.7 ft.
	20:28 p.m.	7.0 ft.

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FLOWERY KINGDOM ASKS MORE SHIPS STEADY IMPROVEMENT IN EMPLOYMENT NOW IN CANADA

New Japanese Naval Ratio Schedule Now Under Consideration

British and United States Governments Now Giving Attention to Fresh Quota Plan Which Has Just Been Presented

TOKYO, Japan, May 29:—The governments of Great Britain and United States have under consideration a new naval building ratio schedule for the nations proposed by Japan under which Japan would be allowed increased tonnage, particularly in the cruiser class. The Japanese question and the German-French dispute will be undoubtedly the major stumbling blocks at the forthcoming disarmament conference.

Mining Improvement on Queen Charlottes Seen by District Engineer During Recent Visit

Plenty of Opportunities There For Intensive Prospecting; Good Results Should be Obtained

That Queen Charlotte Islands will eventually have at least one gold mine and perhaps more is the expectation of the resident mining engineer, Dr. J. T. Mandy, who recently visited the sections where prospecting and exploring has been going on. Good progress has been made since his previous visit but he says there is plenty of opportunity for intensive prospecting, especially on the west coast and in the Cumshewa district where the geological conditions are favorable. "Intensive prospecting would be pretty sure to bring results," he said.

One of the promising prospects examined by Dr. Mandy on his recent visit was that at Copper Bay of a well known resident of this district named James Peacock. He has located some good looking ore on the beach in which he says there are good gold values. Samples of this were taken by the engineer and the result of the assay will prove interesting. Peacock is now trying to pick up the vein across the bay.

Tram Building Is Continuing

Construction of Shipping Facilities For United Empire Mine Proceeding Steadily

Tramline construction from the United Empire mine to the Bear River highway is proceeding steadily and the lower terminal is now completed. It is reported by William Dann, managing director of the company, who is paying a brief business visit to the city. Mr. Dann arrived on the Catala this morning from the north and will return to Stewart on the Prince George tomorrow afternoon.

Wheat Prices

VANCOUVER, May 29: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 76 3/4c on the local exchange today.

Halibut Arrivals

Canadian
Toodle, 12,000, Cold Storage, 6c and 5c.
Melville, 20,000, hold. g. over.

Hero Pilot Saves Lives of 18 Passengers



Superb airmanship of Pilot Ernest Bashan (insert) saved lives of 18 occupants of this airliner when it was forced down, as shown, in woods near Tottenville, N.Y. Unable to find Newark Airport, owing to fog and rain after flight from Chicago, Bashan stayed aloft until fuel ran low. Then he landed his ship so skillfully passengers escaped with slight bruises. Among the passengers was L. B. Spencer of West Welland, Ont.

Many More Men Work In Dominion Than at Same Time Last Year

Increase of More Than 140,000 is Shown on May 1 Over Same Date in 1933, it is Announced Today by Federal Statistics Department

OTTAWA, May 29: (CP)—Government statistics continue to reveal improved conditions in Canada in regard to employment, industry and trade. Particularly gratifying is the movement of men from the ranks of the unemployed back into various lines of work. An increase of more than 140,000 is shown in the number of employed on May 1 this year as compared with the figures at the same date a year ago, it was announced today.

WAS GREAT CHURCHMAN WARTIME DIPLOMAT

Archbishop McNeill Was Prominent In Fight For Separate Schools And Educational Rights Brand Whitlock, Former United States Ambassador To Belgium Passes Away

TORONTO, May 29: (CP)—Archbishop Neil McNeill, who died at the week-end, was the son of the late Malcolm McNeill, of Hillsborough, Inverness, N.S.; his grandparents having come from Barra, Scotland, and Kilkenny, Ireland. He was born at Hillsborough November 23, 1851, and was educated at St. Francis Xavier's, Antigonish; College of Propaganda, Rome, and at the University of Marseilles. From the Propaganda College he received the degrees of doctor of philosophy and divinity, the latter in 1879, the same year in which he was ordained. He was ordained to the priesthood in the Basilica of St. John Lateran, by the late Cardinal Patrizi.

After several years of preaching and teaching in 1895 he was elevated, being consecrated Bishop of Nicopolis and Vicar-Apostolic of St. George's on the west coast of Newfoundland, a position he occupied from 1896 until 1904, becoming Bishop of St. George's in the latter year. In 1910 he was appointed Archbishop of Vancouver, where for two years he labored indefatigably and with great success within the confines of Vancouver, and through the almost impassable interior of the Rockies. In church and school building, the opening up of educational facilities, providing for the poor and needy and devising means for aiding the immigrants he gave an insight into the ability, zeal and solicitude which endeared him to the people of Vancouver.

The excellent achievements of His Grace did not escape notice, and on April 10, 1912, he was transferred to the important See of Toronto, made vacant by the death of the Most Rev. Fergus Patrick McEvay.

His accomplishments in Vancouver were but the shadow of his future successes in the Archdiocese of Toronto. More than 30 new churches were built under his administration and many beautiful schools and institutions, both of learning and for the needs of the sick and distressed came into existence. Many achievements were to his credit throughout his Archdiocese, but none held the limelight of the Catholic world as did his fight for separate schools and educational rights.

ACT IS NOT APPLICABLE

Female Minimum Wage Act Does Not Cover Farm Laborers and Domestic Servants

VICTORIA, May 29: (CP)—The Female Minimum Wage Act is not applicable to farm laborers and domestic servants. Adam Bell, deputy minister of labor, announced yesterday.

Mother Of Five Girls

NORTH BAY, Ont., May 29: (CP)—Mrs. Oliva Dionne gave birth to five girls at her home near Callander yesterday. "All healthy and chirping," the attending physician said. Mrs. Dionne is twenty-six years of age and had previously given birth to six children.

Leadership Will Get Severe Test

Powerful Element Among American Socialists Out Against Norman Thomas

DETROIT, May 29:—The leadership of Norman Thomas in the Socialist party of the United States will be severely tested at the forthcoming year convention of the party here. Followers of the late Morris Hillquit, who succeeded the late Eugene V. Debs as national chairman, are seeking to prevent Thomas from obtaining control of the national executive.

Trying to Get Session Ended

Democrats Moving to Bring About Adjournment of Congress by End of Next Week

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 29:—Democratic leaders in both Senate and House of Representatives have decided to make a drive to rush business through with a view to bringing about an adjournment of Congress by June 9. Differences on the two most contentious matters at issue—air mail contracts and stock market regulations—are believed to have been largely composed.

TWO DEAD IN CRASH

Relief Camp Workers Lose Lives When Truck Goes Over Embankment Near Hope Last Night

Other Injuries

Nine Escaped Watery Grave in Coquahalla River When Tree Stopped Fall of Vehicle

HOPE, May 29: (CP)—Two men, Leonard Beatty and James Drysdale, both relief camp workers, suffered fatal injuries when a motor truck in which they were driving went eighty feet down an embankment on the Hope-Princeton trail three miles east of here last night. Beatty was killed instantly and Drysdale died in the Chilliwack hospital.

Eddie LaCasse is in the Chilliwack hospital with shoulder and chest injuries.

Seven other men received treatment here for minor injuries.

George Swane, the driver, alone escaped unscathed.

The men were coming into Hope from Camp 210 when, during an effort to shift gears, the brakes failed to hold and the truck went over the embankment.

A tree stopped the plunge eighty feet down. Otherwise, all would probably have gone to their deaths in the Coquahalla river four hundred feet below.

TERMS OF DE VALERA

Ready to Give Britain Preference When Britain Shows Inclination To do Likewise

GALWAY, Ireland, May 29:—Addressing a gathering here, President Eamonn de Valera enunciated Irish Free State terms for a truce in the tariff war with Great Britain as follows: "We will be prepared to grant preferences to British goods when they are ready to grant a preference to ours."

FOOD SHORTAGE IN ALASKA SERIOUS

The fresh food situation in Alaska is becoming more serious as the longshoremen's strike continues to tie up shipping from Seattle, according to word brought here yesterday by the steamer Princess Norah. The shortage of fresh fruit and vegetables as well as meat and dairy products at many points is reported to be quite acute. In Juneau there is practically no butter available.

MEASURE ADVANCED

Marketing Bill at Last Gets Through Committee Stage At Ottawa

OTTAWA, May 29: (CP)—Ending days of acrimonious debate, the government's marketing bill passed through committee Monday night in the House of Commons without recorded vote. The third reading will be delayed several days due to the necessity of reprinting the bill to incorporate a score or more of amendments introduced during the last day or two.

CANADIAN GOLD PRICE

MONTREAL, May 29: (CP)—The Canadian gold price was down 3c today at \$34.68 per ounce.

BODY SIGHTED IN THOMPSON RIVER MAY BE OFFICER'S

MERRITT, May 29:—A body which was reported drifting down the Thompson River yesterday, it is believed, may be that of Provincial Constable Percy Carr, who was murdered by Indians last week near here. The body was not recovered and search is now being made for it.